

REMARKS

Claims 1-92 are pending in the application. Applicants amend dependent claim 48 with the present amendment. After entry of the present amendment, claims 1-92 will remain pending in the application.

Applicants thank the Examiner for the Notice of Allowance mailed on February 14, 2005. Applicants submit this amendment to correct a copying-related error in dependent claim 48. Applicants also request consideration of the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims

Dependent claim 48 is amended to correct a copying-related error in original claim 48. Claim 48 is amended to recite that the potential difference between the third potential and the first and/or the second potential is selected from the group consisting of: 0-50 V, 50-100 V, 100-150 V, 150-200 V, 200-250 V, 250-300 V, 300-350 V, 350-400 V, 400-450 V, 450-500 V, 500-550 V, 550-600 V, 600-650 V, 650-700 V, 700-750 V, 750-800 V, 800-850 V, 850-900 V, 900-950 V, 950-1000 V, 1.0-1.5 kV, 1.5-2.0 kV, 2.0-2.5 kV, > 2.5 kV, and < 10 kV. The amendment to claim 48 is supported by the Specification at page 7, lines 26-33, and by original claim 48. Accordingly, the amendment to claim 48 introduces no new matter.

Conclusion

Applicants request entry of the present amendment, consideration of the Supplemental IDS submitted herewith, and allowance of the application. The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned, if the Examiner believes that a telephone conversation could be helpful in expediting prosecution of the present application.

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